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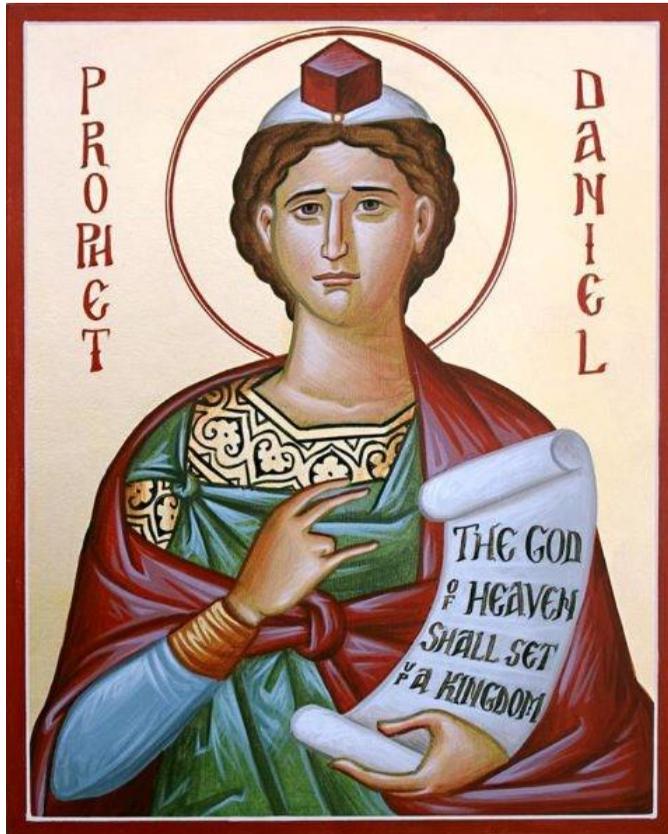
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St. Peter's Church

2018

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THE TWENTY-SIXTH SUNDAY AFTER PENTECOST
NOVEMBER 18, 2018



*I heard but could not understand; so I said,
"My lord, what shall be the outcome of these things?"
He said, "Go your way, Daniel, for the words are to
remain secret and sealed until the time of the end."*

(Daniel 12:8-9)

Thou art Peter and upon this rock I

and the gates of hell shall not prevail against it

THE TWENTY-SIXTH SUNDAY AFTER PENTECOST ~ NOVEMBER 18, 2018

8:30 A.M. ~ HOLY COMMUNION AND HOMILY

10:30 A.M. ~ HOLY COMMUNION AND SERMON

~ Sunday School and Child Care ~

PRELUDE	ELEVATION	MARCEL DUPRÉ
+ PROCESSIONAL HYMN	598 LORD CHRIST, WHEN FIRST THOU CAM'ST TO EARTH	MIT FREUDEN ZART
	CHILDREN'S HOMILY	
	~ Children are invited to come forward to the "crossing" for the Children's Homily ~	
OPENING AFFIRMATION		PRAYER BOOK, PAGE 323
+ GLORIA IN EXCELSIS	SHORT SERVICE	C. H. STEWART
COLLECT FOR THE DAY		SEE INSERT
THE FIRST LESSON		DANIEL 12:1-13
THE PSALM		PSALM 16
THE EPISTLE		HEBREWS 10:31-39
+ HYMN	596 JUDGE ETERNAL, THRONED IN SPLENDOR	KOMM, O KOMM
+ THE HOLY GOSPEL		MARK 13:14-23
	SERMON ~ THE REV. PAUL J. HARTT, RECTOR	
+ THE NICENE CREED		PRAYER BOOK, PAGE 327
THE PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE		PRAYER BOOK, PAGE 328
THE GENERAL CONFESSION		PRAYER BOOK, PAGE 330
ABSOLUTION		PRAYER BOOK, PAGE 332
OFFERTORY ANTHEM	NEVER WEATHER-BEATEN SAIL	CHARLES WOOD
	~ Children return from Sunday School ~	
+ SANCTUS/BENEDICTUS	STEWART	PRAYER BOOK, PAGE 334
PRAYER OF CONSECRATION		PRAYER BOOK, PAGE 334
AGNUS DEI	STEWART	PRAYER BOOK, PAGE 337
PRAYER OF HUMBLE ACCESS		PRAYER BOOK, PAGE 337
COMMUNION HYMN	339 DECK THYSELF, MY SOUL, WITH GLADNESS	SCHMÜCKE DICH
COMMUNION MOTET	AVE VERUM	EDWARD ELGAR
PRAYER OF THANKSGIVING		PRAYER BOOK, PAGE 339
THE BLESSING		
+ RECESSIONAL HYMN	534 GOD IS WORKING HIS PURPOSE OUT	PURPOSE
POSTLUDE	FINALE ON "VENI CREATOR"	MAURICE DURUFLÉ
	(+ALL STANDING)	

**Food items on the altars have been donated by the congregation to assist the
Regional Food Bank and local people in need.**

**The altar decorations are given in loving memory of Jan D'Agostino
by the St. Peter's Flower Guild**

THE USHERS at the 8:30AM Service are Robin LaPlante and John Sterrett

THE USHERS at the 10:30AM Service are Sherry Bishko, Moses Kamy and Frank Spath

~ **Parish Notes** ~

Coffee Hour: Please join us for coffee hour after the 8:30AM and 10:30AM Services. All are welcome.

Pumpkin Bread: Last week the Sunday School children baked pumpkin bread and today the loaves will be blessed and are available for all parishioners to take home.

Equinox Donations: Again this year, Equinox has asked us to donate packs of 4 count or 6 count single serve applesauce. Boxes marked for the applesauce are located at the front of the church and in the Sunday School rooms. We will be collecting through today, Sunday, November 18th. Thank you all for your support.

Confirmation Classes: Confirmation instruction for adults and youth (aged 13+) has begun. The class is co-led by Fr. Hartt and Mtr. Sue and meets every Sunday immediately following the 10:30AM service.

TOP OF THE HILL: The Top of the Hill meeting will **NOT** be held this Wednesday, November 21st.

Thanksgiving Eve Service: This service of Holy Communion will be held this Wednesday evening, November 21st at 7:30PM.

Equinox Volunteers Needed!: Thanksgiving morning we will be joining hundreds of volunteers in assembling Thanksgiving dinners for delivery for Equinox at the Empire State Plaza. Please join us for our time slot this Thursday, **November 22nd from 7:30AM to 9:30AM**. If you have any questions, please call Laura Rulison at (518)368-4284.

Youth Sunday: Youth Sunday with Children's Chapel will take place next Sunday, November 25th during the 10:30AM service.

WINTER CLOTHING COLLECTION: During the month of November, St. Peter's will be collecting gently used coats for people of need at the soup kitchen. Please drop off your donations in the front office or upstairs in the Sunday School rooms. All sizes are needed for men, women and children. As always, thank you for your support.

Advent: Advent begins on Sunday, December 2nd. Advent calendars will be distributed and Advent wreaths and candles will be available to the congregation.

HANDEL'S MESSIAH: On Sunday, December 2nd at 3PM St. Peter's Choir will present a performance of Handel's *Messiah*, accompanied by a chamber orchestra. All are welcome to this performance. Mark your calendars for this seasonal favorite.

Cathedral Lock-In: Friday, December 7th at 6PM until Saturday, December 8th at 10AM. ***Survive the night!*** As an unknown contaminate spreads and the world begins to spiral out of control, the Cathedral of All Saints is the last safe sanctuary in the north-east. A brave group of young people gather to work out what to do next. Will they discover a light in the darkness? Is it too late for the world and these young people? Will the barricades hold out all night? All youth in grades 7 through 12 come join us to find out. The cost is \$30 per person and includes dinner, snacks and breakfast. To register, please visit: <https://www.bevercrossministries.org/cathedral-lock-in.html>

Blessing Bags: To assist and offer comfort for the women who stay in our overflow shelter the Daughters of the King will be assembling Blessing Bags on Sunday, December 9th. These are small (quart size) bags of good will and hospitality that are given to people who may need some cheer and comfort. Please consider bringing an offering of women's care products such as tooth paste, tooth brush, a comb, scented lotion, hair rubber bands, mints, candies, wipes, granola bars, travel deodorant, lip balms, band aids, cotton swabs, small cracker packets, Slim Jim snacks, feminine pads/wipes, small tissue packets, small note pads and pens can also be useful. Products that contain alcohol such as mouth wash and hand sanitizer should not be included (hand sanitizer wipes are ok).

Please remember in your prayers: Peter Adams, Abdu Aghzafi, Tom Arnold, Betsy Ballard, Ruth Bornt, Sharon Bornt, Georgia Sue Carlin, Inga Carpenter, Ann Collins, Bill Collins, Morris Daly, Nancy Dennis, Nicky Desso, Anne deVos, Marie Dolan, Hunter Dolbert, Liam, Missy, James Dykeman III, Doreen Johnson, Mark Lundberg, Kevin Mastro, Ed Murphy, Lindsay Norville, Moriah, Bill Purdy, Barbara Richardson, Edmund Schupp, Cyndy Shaffer, The Rev. Dr. Brad Smith, Carol Stafford, Earl Stafford, Dean Tessitore, Denise Thomson, Carol Tripp, Christer Westin, Christina Wright, Aunt Rosie and Family.

Birthdays: 11/18 ~ Jack Healy, Christopher Spath; 11/19 ~ Chris Grill; 11/20 ~ Katelyn Lencewicz; 11/21 ~ Dax Adams

Anniversaries: 11/21 ~ Frank & Deborah Spath

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CALENDAR OF EVENTS

Sunday, November 18th

8:30AM Holy Communion and Homily
10:30AM Holy Communion and Sermon, Sunday School, Child Care
11:45PM Confirmation Class

Monday, November 19th

5:00PM - 6:15PM Treble Make-up Rehearsal

Tuesday, November 20th

5:00PM Book & Bible Study

Wednesday, November 21st

No Top of the Hill Meeting
12:05PM Holy Communion
5:30PM - 7PM Full Choir Rehearsal
7:30PM Thanksgiving Eve Service

Thursday, November 22nd ~ *Thanksgiving Day*

Office Closed
No Choir Rehearsals
7:30AM - 9:30AM Equinox Volunteers at the Empire State Plaza

Friday, November 23rd

Office Closed

UPCOMING EVENTS FOR ADVENT/DECEMBER

- **Advent Calendars:** Will be given out on Sunday, December 2nd
- **Advent Wreaths & Candles:** Available on Sunday, December 2nd
- **Handel's Messiah:** Sunday, December 2nd at 3PM
- **Service of Remembrance:** Thursday, December 6th at 7PM
- **Christmas Pageant:** Sunday, December 9th during the 10:30AM service
- **Outreach Committee Meeting:** Tuesday, December 11th at 4:30PM
- **Vestry Meeting:** Tuesday, December 11th at 5:15PM
- **Lessons and Carols:** Sunday, December 16th during the 10:30AM service
- **Hanging of the Greens:** Sunday, December 16th following the 10:30AM service with ham luncheon served at 1PM.
- **Christmas Eve Service with Crèche:** Monday, December 24th ~ 4:30PM
All children participating in the Crèche procession should arrive by 4PM.
- **Christmas Eve Choral Holy Communion Service:** Monday, December 24th ~ 10PM
Prior to this service the choir sings carols beginning at 9:30PM.
- **Christmas Day Holy Communion Service:** Tuesday, December 25th ~ 9AM